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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

1. The proposed reply filed on May 20, 2005 has not been entered because it is **unsigned**.

Since the above mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given a TIME PERIOD of **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME LIMIT MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

2. Although the amendment of May 20, 2005 has not been entered for the reason given above, the following errors in the content of the amendment are also noted:

a) The amendment to the specification filed on May 20, 2005 **does not comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121(b)**. 37 CFR 1.121(b) requires that a replacement paragraph be appropriately marked-up so as to show changes relative to the previous version of the paragraph (see in particular 37 CFR 1.121(b)(ii)). In the proposed (unentered) amendment of May 20, 2005, the replacement paragraph for the paragraph located on page 6, lines 33-35, identifies previously added text as "new" by the use of underlining, and fails to identify deleted text with strike-through or double brackets. Specifically, the amendments to the specification filed April 13, 2004 introduced much of the underlined text of that paragraph; accordingly, only the new portions of the text introduced by the amendment of May 20, 2005 should have been underlined, while deletions relative to the amendment of April 13, 2004 should have been indicated by double-brackets or strike-through, as appropriate.

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b) It is also noted that the proposed substitute amendments to the specification filed May 20, 2005 do not make reference to the **substitute drawing sheets** referenced in the prior (non-compliant) amendments to the specification of January 11, 2005. If applicant wishes for the drawings filed January 11, 2005 to be substituted in the application, an instruction to that effect should be included in the amendments to the specification.

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Diana B. Johannsen whose telephone number is 571/272-0744. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday, 7:30 am-4:00 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, W. Gary Jones can be reached at 571/272-0745. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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